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HEALTH FACILITIES & SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

January 29, 2019

Ms. Courtney Avery Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board 525 West Jefferson Street, 2nd Floor Springfield, IL 62761

RE: Permit Application - QMG ASTC

Dear Ms. Avery,

Sunset Home is a non-profit organization in Quincy, IL, consisting of a 182 bed skilled nursing facility; a 92 unit senior apartment building and 16 condominium units for seniors. We are proud to be a small but vital part of the healthcare continuum in the Quincy area. Our residents and employees make use of and utilize many of the health services and options available in the Quincy area, including in-patient and ancillary out-patient services.

Sunset Home maintains contractual relationships with several external providers for services and consultation to the benefit of our residents and staff. These arrangements promote for better healthcare outcomes for all involved. We appreciate and support all of these relationships that allows us to provide cost effective and quality care to our residents and provide options for our employees.

Regarding the above Permit Application, Sunset Home takes a neutral position on this. We only ask that the Board evaluate all aspect of the proposal including costs, access to care and any adverse effects on current providers.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Jerry Neal
Administrator